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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Meunier-Beillard *et al.*      Examiner: Estrada, M.  
Serial No.: 10/530,063      Group Art Unit: 2823  
Filed: March 31, 2005      Docket No.: BE 020027 US  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FORMING EXPITAXIAL LAYERS

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**OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE AFTER FINAL**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated August 4, 2008, please reconsider the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

A complete listing of the claims, to include any amendments thereto, is included.

Remarks/Arguments follow.

Authorization is given to charge/credit Deposit Account 50-0996 (**NXPS.236PA**) all required fees/overages to enter this paper.